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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 2875
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q63491

Akihiro GOTO, et al.

Appn. No.: 09/787,359

Group Art Unit: 2875

Confirmation No.: 7871

Examiner: Dalei DONG

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For: ELECTRODE FOR ELECTRIC DISCHARGE SURFACE TREATMENT AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Response is submitted in response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2004.

Review and reconsideration on the merits in view of the following remarks is respectfully
requested.

EXTER AMDT.

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